

Absent—Excused.

Taylor.

The Chair (Senator Warren) announced that the resolution was adopted by a majority vote, and

Senator Collins made the point of order that since the resolution displaced pending business it required a two-thirds vote to adopt same.

The Chair overruled the point of order.

Senator Collins moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was adopted, which motion to reconsider was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—12.

Bailey of Harris.	Hudspeth.
Carter.	Johnson.
Collins.	McNealus.
Darwin.	Terrell.
Greer.	Townsend.
Harley.	Westbrook.

Nays—13.

Cowell.	Nugent.
Gibson.	Real.
Hall.	Warren.
Henderson.	Watson.
Lattimore.	Wiley.
McGregor.	Willacy.
Morrow.	

Absent.

Astin.	Clark.
Bailey of DeWitt.	Conner.
Brelsford.	

Absent—Excused.

Taylor.

Pending delay, Senator Collins again made the point of order that Rule 63 provided for a majority of all members elected to suspend the order of business, as provided for in the resolution, and that the vote adopting the same was not a majority of all the members elected.

The Chair held that if the point of order had been made at the proper time it would have been sustained, but felt that the point of order came too late.

ADJOURNMENT.

At 6 o'clock p. m. Senator Henderson moved that the Senate adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, and

Senator McNealus moved, as a substitute, that the Senate adjourn until 10 o'clock Monday morning.

Action recurred on the longest time first, and the substitute motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—3.

Conner.	McNealus.
Harley.	

Nays—23.

Bailey of DeWitt.	McGregor.
Bailey of Harris.	Morrow.
Carter.	Nugent.
Collins.	Real.
Cowell.	Terrell.
Darwin.	Townsend.
Greer.	Warren.
Hall.	Watson.
Henderson.	Westbrook.
Hudspeth.	Wiley.
Johnson.	Willacy.
Lattimore.	

Absent.

Astin.	Clark.
Brelsford.	Gibson.

Absent—Excused.

Taylor.

The motion to adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning was then adopted.

PETITIONS.

A number of telegrams, in the nature of petitions, were presented asking that the Legislature not adjourn until legislation relating to reduction in cotton acreage was passed on.

FIFTEENTH DAY.

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas,

Saturday, October 10, 1914.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by President Pro Tem. Morrow.

Roll call, a quorum being present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Bailey of DeWitt.	Hall.
Bailey of Harris.	Harley.
Brelsford.	Henderson.
Carter.	Hudspeth.
Conner.	Johnson.
Cowell.	Lattimore.
Darwin.	McGregor.
Gibson.	McNealus.
Greer.	Morrow.

Nugent.	Watson.
Real.	Westbrook.
Terrell.	Wiley.
Townsend.	Willacy.

Absent.

Astin.	Collins.
Clark.	Warren.

Absent—Excused.

Taylor.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Pending the reading of the Journal of yesterday, the same was dispensed with on motion of Senator Johnson.

EXCUSED.

On account of important business:

Senator Astin, for today, on motion of Senator Bailey of DeWitt.

Senator Collins, for today and indefinitely, on motion of Senator Westbrook.

Senator Clark, for today, on motion of Senator Carter.

Senator Warren, for today and indefinitely, on motion of Senator McNealus.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Harley presented a telegram from Seguin from a mass meeting of citizens at that place favoring legislation on cotton acreage.

Senator Lattimore presented a telegram from farmers' mass meeting at Arlington, requesting legislation on cotton acreage reduction.

Senator Conner presented a petition from Stephenville farmers, in mass meeting, favoring Texas Bank Bill.

BILL SIGNED.

The Chair (President Pro Tem. Morrow) gave notice of signing, and did sign, in the presence of the Senate, after its caption had been read, the following bill:

S. B. No. 5, A bill providing for an amendment to the State banking law.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Senator Townsend:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3:

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That we heartily endorse as patriotic and wise the administration of our Democratic President, the Hon. Woodrow Wilson, and reaffirm our allegiance to the principles and policies expressed in the National Democratic platform adopted at Baltimore, and commend our Democratic Congress for the adherence thereto, and believing that it is to the interest of the nation at large that the Hon. Woodrow Wilson be re-elected President of the United States, and we hereby endorse him for the Presidency of the United States, and urge him to stand for re-election. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. Woodrow Wilson, and to each member of Congress from Texas at Washington, D. C.

Signed—Johnson, Gibson, Townsend, Carter, Lattimore, Cowell, Henderson, Nugent, Westbrook.

The resolution was read, and Senator Watson offered the following substitute for the resolution:

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That we reaffirm our faith in and pledge anew our devotion to the fundamentals and time-honored principles of Democracy, as secured by the founders and fathers of this Republic, and as reannounced in the last Democratic platform as made at Baltimore, and upon which the Democratic party secured control of the Federal government, and from which has followed manifold blessings to all our people.

We cordially and heartily endorse the National Democratic administration, and congratulate the people of the United States upon the patriotic fidelity with which that administration has kept faith with the people and has passed into living laws promises made by our party in its National platform at Baltimore.

We believe that having so thoroughly and persistently kept the faith that that administration is entitled to and will receive the endorsement, support and assistance of all Democrats, and this we gratefully pledge for the Democrats of Texas.

(Senator Hudspeth in the chair.)

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2.

Pending discussion on the above mat-

ter, and at 11:50 o'clock a. m., actual time,

Senator Real called up, as a privileged matter, and which was on the table subject to call,

H. C. R. No. 2, providing for sine die adjournment of this the Third Called Session of the Thirty-third Legislature at 12 o'clock, October 10, 1914.

Senator McNealus made the point of order that the resolution could not be called up on account of the pending amendment, which was also laid on the table subject to call, and that it has precedence over the resolution, but the Chair overruled the point of order.

Pending further discussion, the point of order was raised that the hands of the Senate clock had been turned back.

The Chair (Senator Hudspeth) stated that he had not authorized anyone to turn the hands of the clock back, and neither had the President Pro Tem. of the Senate, and held that the matter was in the control of the Senate.

Pending several motions relating to the matter,

Senator McNealus made constitutional objection that the resolution in question provided that the Third Called Session of the Legislature adjourn sine die at 12 o'clock today, and since by actual time it was 7 minutes after 12 o'clock that the resolution was out of order.

The Chair (Senator Hudspeth) sustained the objection, holding that in the absence of any order by the Senate to have the hands of the Senate clock turned back that the actual time would control.

ADJOURNMENT.

Senator Carter, at 10 minutes after 12 o'clock, moved that the Senate adjourn until 10 o'clock Monday morning.

The motion was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—19.

Carter.	McGregor.
Conner.	McNealus.
Darwin.	Morrow.
Gibson.	Nugent.
Greer.	Real.
Hall.	Terrell.
Henderson.	Townsend.
Hudspeth.	Watson.
Johnson.	Willacy.
Lattimore.	

Nays—5.

Bailey of Harris. Brelsford.

Cowell. Wiley.
Westbrook.

Present—Not Voting.

Bailey of DeWitt.

Absent.

Harley.

Absent—Excused.

Astin.

Taylor.

Clark.

Warren.

Collins.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, October 10, 1914.

Hon. W. C. Morrow, President Pro Tem. of the Senate.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully examined and compared Senate bill No. 5, and find it correctly enrolled, and have this day, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., presented same to the Governor for his approval.

DARWIN, Acting Chairman.

SIXTEENTH DAY.

Senate Chamber,

Austin, Texas.

Monday, October 12, 1914.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by President Pro Tem. Morrow.

Roll call, no quorum being present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Bailey of DeWitt.	Hudspeth.
Brelsford.	Johnson.
Carter.	Lattimore.
Conner.	McGregor.
Cowell.	McNealus.
Darwin.	Morrow.
Gibson.	Terrell.
Greer.	Townsend.
Harley.	Watson.
Henderson	Wiley.

Absent.

Astin.	Nugent.
Bailey of Harris.	Real.
Clark.	Warren.
Collins.	Westbrook.
Hall.	Willacy.

Absent—Excused.

Taylor.